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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
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Re: Docket No. 98-172

Dear Madam Secretary:

On January 13 and 14, I accompanied Suzanne Hutchings of Teledesic Corporation in meetings with Dan Connors, Peter Tenhula, Paul Misener, Karen Gulick, and Ari Fitzgerald regarding the above-referenced proceeding. During the meetings, we presented Teledesic's views on band segmentation and relocation policies for the 18 GHz band, as contained in Teledesic's comments and reply comments in this proceeding. We also discussed the attached maps showing the extent to which existing FS deployment in the Los Angeles area is likely to preclude deployment of FSS terminals.

Pursuant to section 1.1206(b), I am filing an original and one copy of this letter, and request that it be placed in the file associated with this proceeding.

Sincerely,



Mark A. Grannis

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